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Full Home-Based Learning (FHBL) and Covid-19 Situation Update

Dear Parents / Guardians,

As announced by MOE, primary schools will embark on FHBL for P1-P5 students from 27 Sep – 6 Oct. P6 students will have their Study Break from 27 Sep – 29 Sep, before returning to school for their PSLE written exams from 30 Sep.

As with previous FHBL, the school seeks to ensure curriculum continuity when students are learning from home. To do so, students will be given assignments via Student Learning Space (SLS) and also attend Live Lessons at certain times of the day. The supporting instructions for FHBL are attached as Annex A in the letter.

We also understand parents are concerned about the Covid-19 situation in the school. All schools in Singapore have taken the necessary ring-fencing measures to place students in the same Form Class / Subject Class / School Bus / Student Care Centre / Close Proximity with the confirmed cases on Leave of Absence (LOA) / Quarantine Order (QO). Deep cleaning of the affected venues and common spaces will be done by MOE appointed contractors. As of today, the school has 2 Covid-19 confirmed cases, **both transmitted in the community or at home**. Although there is no evidence of school-based transmission, with the higher number of community cases, the chances of children coming into contact with infected members in the household or the community have increased.

We seek your understanding and support should you receive phone calls from our staff to inform you to keep your child at home when your child is placed under LOA or QO. This phone call may reach you late at night or early in the morning, depending on when the school is informed of the confirmed case.

We are continuing to take the necessary Safe Management Measures (SMM) to protect our students and staff.

Some measures taken include:

- Suspension of Active Play during recess
- Suspending / Moving most after-school activities to online (e.g. e-CCA)
- Daily screening of students on health status
- Staggered Dismissal

With the family and school supporting one another, we are confident that we will be able to do our part to manage and bring the number of cases down in Singapore. We thank parents for your understanding and support during these challenging times and look forward to seeing the students back in school soon.

Regards,

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Annex A

Information Sheet on Full Home-Based Learning

Full HBL Schedule

Instructions for Full HBL are as follow:

- All lesson instructions are posted on SLS by 7.45am daily.
- Students should aim to complete the lessons by the end of day.
- Students' daily attendance will be taken upon the submission of the Daily Log.
- Each lesson should last between 30 minutes and 1 hour.
- For students who are sharing computing devices with siblings, they can apportion sufficient time for one another in order to complete all the assignments and to attend live lessons.

HBL Weekly Plan (Primary 1 and 2)

| Mon 27 Sep | Tue 28 Sep | Wed 29 Sep | Thu 30 Sep | Fri 1 Oct | Mon 4 Oct | Tue 5 Oct | Wed 6 Oct |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Daily log (8.00 a.m. - 8.15 a.m.) | | | | | | | |
| English | English | English | English | English | English | English | English |
| Math | Math | Math | Math | Math | Math | Math | Math |
| Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue |

HBL Weekly Plan (Primary 3 and 4)

| Mon 27 Sep | Tue 28 Sep | Wed 29 Sep | Thu 30 Sep | Fri 1 Oct | Mon 4 Oct | Tue 5 Oct | Wed 6 Oct |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Daily log (7.45 a.m. - 8.00 a.m.) | | | | | | | |
| English | English | English | English | English | English | English | English |
| Math | Math | Math | Math | Math | Math | Math | Math |
| Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue |
| | Science | | Science | | | Science | |

HBL Weekly Plan (Primary 5)

| Mon 27 Sep | Tue 28 Sep | Wed 29 Sep | Thu 30 Sep | Fri 1 Oct | Mon 4 Oct | Tue 5 Oct | Wed 6 Oct |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Daily log (7.45 a.m. - 8.00 a.m.) | | | | | | | |
| English | English | English | English | English | English | English | English |
| Math | Math | Math | Math | Math | Math | Math | Math |
| Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | Higher MT only | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue | Mother Tongue |
| | Science | | Science | Music | | Science | |



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Live Lessons Schedule

- Links for the live lessons will be posted on SLS.
- Students should **log in 10 minutes before** the start of each live lesson.
- When there is a live lesson for a subject on a particular day, there will not be any SLS lesson package for that subject.

| | Monday 27 Sep | Tuesday 28 Sep | Wednesday 29 Sep | Thursday 30 Sep | Friday 1 Oct | Monday 4 Oct | Tuesday 5 Oct | Wednesday 6 Oct |
|----|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| P1 | | Mother Tongue (12.00pm - 1.00pm) | English (11.00am - 12.00pm) | | Math (11.30am - 12.30pm) | | Mother Tongue (12.00pm - 1.30pm) | English (11.00am - 12.00pm) |
| | | | | Qian Ju Wen (selected students) (3.00 - 4.45pm) | | | | |
| P2 | | English (10.30am-11.30am) | | Math (10.30am-11.30am) | Mother Tongue (8.30am - 9.30am) | English (8.30am-9.30am) | | |
| | | | | Qian Ju Wen (selected students) (3.00 - 4.45pm) | | | | |
| P3 | English (9.30am - 10.30am) | Mother Tongue (9.30am-10.30am) | Math (9.30am-10.30am) | Science (8.30am - 9.30am) | | English (9.30am - 10.30am) | Mother Tongue (9.30am-10.30am) | Math (9.30am-10.30am) |
| | | e-CCA (3.00pm - 4.00pm) | | | | | e-CCA (3.00pm - 4.00pm) | |
| P4 | Math (10.30am-11.30am) | | Mother Tongue (1.30pm-2.30pm) | Science (9.30am-10.30am) | English (9.30am-10.30am) | Math (10.30am-11.30am) | | Mother Tongue (1.30pm-2.30pm) |
| | | e-CCA (3.00pm - 4.00pm) | | | | | e-CCA (3.00pm - 4.00pm) | |
| P5 | Mother Tongue (1.30pm - 2.30pm) | Science (8.30am - 9.30am) | Math (8.30am - 9.30am) | | English (10.30am-11.30am) | Mother Tongue (1.30pm - 2.30pm) | Science (8.30am - 9.30am) | Math (8.30am - 9.30am) |
| | | e-CCA (3.00pm - 4.00pm) | | | | | e-CCA (3.00pm - 4.00pm) | |



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Preparing students for meaningful learning during HBL

- Students should organise hard copies of their learning materials by subjects and have them on hand prior to the SLS lessons.
- Students should go through the entire learning package carefully before attempting the quizzes or tasks at the end.

Extended Learning Activities

- Students may refer to a list of recommended learning activities should they wish to extend their learning.
- The list of activities and websites can be found on our school website.
<https://qihuapri.moe.edu.sg/home-based-learning/>

Contact information

- Email addresses of all form teachers and subject teachers are listed on our school website:
<https://qihuapri.moe.edu.sg/about-us/our-staff/>
- For technical support and enquiries on HBL, please call the school helpdesk at 62696250.

To Teach with Passion; To Lead with Benevolence.
Respect • Responsibility • Resilience • Integrity • Care • Teamwork